He is Making a Big Bluff Beyond the

RICHARD IS HIMSELF AGAIN.

Briny Deep.

PUTS UP \$5,000 ON KILRAIN

To Fight Any Man in the World-Sioux City Wins the Only Western Game Played Yesterday -General Sporting.

Fox is Fishing for a Fight.

[Copyright 1888, by James Gordon Bennett,] Paris, August 13.—[New York Herald Cable-Special to THE BRE,]-An American intered the Paris office of the New York Herald yesterday, saying: "What is all this I see in your columns about John L. Sullivan being anxious to enter the ring against Sake Kilrain! I am ready to back Kilrain for \$10,000 against Sullivan or any one else, and if the Herald will accept 6 deposit of \$500 or \$1,000, just to show I am talking business, I will place the money with the Heraid now."

The American laid his card and check on table. One read: "Mr. Richard K. Fox, the New York Police

Gazette." The other read:

Panis, August 13. THE PARK NATIONAL BANK, New York.
Pay to the order of N. Y. Herald, 85,000.

Mr. Fox chatted awhile about fighting and fighters. He said: "I see Sullivan has left the circus business and offers to fight Mitchell or Kilrain, with a preference for my champion, Jake Kilrain. Sullivan says he has friends who will back him. Now, here is my money," said Mr. Fox, "and here is a etter which I ask the Herald to publish,' and he handed over this communication:

Paris, August 13 .- Editor Herald: I see by your cable reports from America that John L. Sullivan says he is anxious to meet my champion, Jake Kilrain. I am prepared to back Kilrain against Sullivan or any other man in the world for \$1,000 or more the Herald please accept Will on deposit my inclosed check for \$5,000 and hold it until the 30th of September next, to be covered by any one desir bus of meeting Kilrain for the heavy weight championship of the world and the Police Gazette diamond belt, the men to fight not coner than six months from the date of igning the articles. The second deposit to be \$2,500 a side and made with the Sporting Life f London, and the third and last deposit of 2,500 to be made with the New York Clipber, which is to be the final stakeholder Chere are many good men living, but I think Kilrain is the best. If anyone thinks differently I trust he will embrace the present excellent opportunity to prove it. Yours truly RICHARD K. FOX.

\$5,000 check which he left with the Herald. "I have just seen Kilrain," said Mr. Fox. He is a little fat but could soon get that off. am more pleased with him than ever. He s still in training at Pony Moore's house, where he is staying and where a track has been laid down for his special use. Should a match be arranged Charley Rowell will train him and Mitchell will second him. Kilrain and Mitchell probose sailing soon for New York, where they will have a hearty reception down the bay, which I am arranging under the direction of ny sporting editor, William E. Harding, and Christopher Clarke."

Mr. Fox was duly given a receipt for his

THE WESTERN ASSOCIATION. Bioux City Defeats the Maroons in the Only Game Yesterday.

CHICAGO, August 13 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-With the assistance of Wells, heir crack pitcher, Sioux City defeated the Maroons to-day. The home team players continued their excellent field work, but were greatly handicapped by the accession I two new men, Keogan in the box and Scott on first base. Keogan was considered a crack twirler down in Peoria. He has an asy delivery, and unless his wildness was ed by nervousness, will hardly eavy enough for Western association buts hen. Schoeneck's absence was regretfully noted by the spectators. The score:

Chicago......0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 2-5

Marcons.....1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0-3

Pitchers-Wells and Keogan. Base hits-Sioux City 10. Maroons 7. Errors-Sioux Sloux City 10, Maroons 7. Errors-city 2, Maroons 2. Umpire-Cusick.

Play To-Day at Minneapolis. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., August 13 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The Minneapolis nd Omaha teams arrived in the city from Davenport this morning and will play the remaining games of the series on the Minne polis grounds. Manager Gooding says his flub is a "nowhere" club no longer, but will inish the season in Minneapolis. Of course the team is liable to play games scheduled for Minneapolis at other cities occasionally as he is in the bole and will go where he hinks there is the most money. Concerning he forfeited game of Saturday at Davenport. t is doubtful if Omaha will be able to make good its claim to it. The captain of the home cam is the sole judge of the fitness of the cheduled for play, and, as the games were cheduled for Minneapolis and transferred O Davenport by request of the Minneapolis club, it was virtually the home team and its captain that should have decided, Umpire icas having no jurisdiction until the game

Western Association Standing. Following is the official standing of the Western association teams up to and includ-

ng yesterday's gr	imes:	77.9	0.00.00 100	(23)(14)
and A contract of the	Played	Won	Lost	Pr Ct
St. Paul		46	26	.630
Omaha		44	28	.611
Des Moines	71	48	28	.605
Cansas City	70	35	35	.500
Milwaukee	79	36	43	.455
Sloux City	31	14	17	.451
Chicago	70	82	44	.421
Minneapolis	79	26	46	.361

No Game-Rain. Sr. Paul, August 13.- | Special Telegran o THE BEE. |- The St. Paul Kansas City rame was postponed on account of rain rwo games will be played to morrow.

OTHER GAMES.

Westerday's Winners in the National

League Contests. NEW YORE, August 18 .- Result of to-day's0001000040000-

New York 4, Chicago 14. Errors—New York Chicago 5. Umpire—Lyuch.

PHILADELPHIA, August 13 .- Result of hay's game:
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Pitchers-Buffinten and Burdick. Base its-Philadelphia 5, Indianapolis 3. Errorshiladelphia 5, Indianapolis 6. Umpire-Boston, August 18.—The Boston-Detroit rame to-day was postponed on account of

Washington, August 13.—Result of day's game;

Vashington....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 9 ittsburg.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 *- 3

Pitchers-O'Day for Washington, Galvin for Pittsburg. Base hits-Washington 8, Pittsburg 2. Errors-Washington 2, Pittsburg 4. Umpire--Valentine.

American Association. CINCINNATI, August 13.—Result of to-day's

KANSAS CITY, August 13 .- Result of to-day's game: Kansas City....2 4 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 9 Athletics.....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 4 LOUISVILLE, August 13.—Result of to-day's Louisville0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 3-7 Brooklyn.....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0-2 St. Louis, August 13.-Result of to-

day's game:

Aurora 17, York 12. YORR, Neb., August 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Aurora defeated York Aurora.....2 0 0 1 0 0 4 4 1 5-17 York......4 3 0 0 0 3 0 2 0 0-12 Umpire-Woods.

TURF EVENTS. Summary of Yesterday's Races at

Saratoga. Sanatoga, Aug. 13.—Summary of races: Three-fourths of a mile—Minnie Palm von in 1:20%, Tessa second, Jabal third. ie-eighth miles - Oarsman won l 10114, Little Minnie second, Banjo third. One mile-Mynwood won in 1:49%, Hilda second, Clara C third.
Three-fourths of a mile-Amos won in 1:314, Perkins second, James A third.
Done and one-sixteenth miles-Letria won in 1:50%, Redstone second, Bronzomarte third.

Brighton Beach Races. BRIGHTON BEACH, August 13 .- Summary

Five furlongs-Vanilla (filly) won, Lost Webster second, Gunshot third. Time-1:06)4. Seven furiongs—Tyrone won, Songster second, Pendennis third. Time—1:36)4.

Seven furlongs—Poet won, Pilot second, Harwood third. Time—1989d. One and three-quarter miles—J. J. Healy won, Frolic second, Lute Arnold third. Time

Hockaway handleap, three-quarters of a -Calera won, Stripling second, Duhme third. Time-1:10%. One mile-Tenbooker won, Raymond second, Bryan Born third. Time-1:54%.

THE PLATTE'S TEAM.

Rewarding the Twelve Sharpshooters in the Department.

The six-day rifle contest of the Department of the Piatte was concluded yesterday at the Bellevue range. Brigadier Genera Brooke and staff, accompanied by a party of friends, went down to the range on the o'clock train. The company included the llowing ladies and gentlemen, besides the cond infuntry band:

Colonel Terrell, chief paymaster; General J. W. Barriger, chief commissary: Major William B. Hughes, chief quartermaster; General T. C. McParlan, all of Fort Omaha. General Edward Hatch, commanding Fort Robinson, Neb.; General Henry Morrow, commanding Fort Sidney, Nob. Miss Bessie Hatch, of Fort Robinson; Miss Walsh, of Lincoln; Miss Riley, of New York; Miss Haskins of San Francisco; Captain and Mrs. Hughes, of Fort Robinson; Dr. and Mrs. Brown, Lieutenant and Mrs. W. J. Turner, Mrs. Lieutenant Waring, Miss Waring, Lieutenant and Mrs. John Mallory, Mrs. Captain Ulio, Chaplain and Mrs. Nave, al of Fort Omaha. The Misses McParlan. Dot McClintock, Mary Ludington and Mabe Orchard, Miss Blackman, Miss Wilson, Mrs Costa, Mrs. D. J. Collins and Dr. Ludington Messis, John Barriger, William Barriger and C. H. Hendricks, Mr. Briggs, Mr.

Coughlan and Mr. Morgan, all of Omaha The "station" at the range consists of a small platform under roof. A narrow road winds through the thick forest and gradually mounts the bluff which for centuries has withstood the assaults of the Missouri. broad terrace has been found and cleared o its woody growth, and is equipped for target shooting. It is surrounded with woods in full foliage. Glimpses of the river are caught through the waving branches on one side, and the Bellevue college, with a lone church tower, (peeps above the billowing sea of

green on the opposite side.
Old Sol came out brightly, but with tem pered fervor, and a cool breeze made a day as perfect as the traditionally rare day in June.

The contestants in the shooting were formed in line in the open space between the officers' tents, and as they marched to their place, they were reviewed by General Brooke and staff. The adjutant read the names of the successful marksmen, and they stepped

ollowing is the team who will represent the department of the Piatte at the division

contest soon to be held at San Antonio, Texas: Sergeant Leonard Dietz, Seventeenth in fantry; Private John Currie, Seventeenth infantry; Lieutenant B. B. Buck, Sixteenth infantry; Sergeant Wm. Glynn, Seventeenth infantry; Lieutenant Charles H. Muir, Seventeenth infantry; Corporal Peter H. Mer enteenth infantry; Corporal Peter H. Mer-cier, Seventeenth infantry; Lieutenant H. H. Wright, Ninth cavalry; Musician J. W. Mayer, Seventeenth infantry; Lieutenant M. W. Day, Ninth cavalry; Private Charles M. W. Day, Ninth cavalry; Private Charles M. Snell, Seventh infantry; Corporal Rich ard White, Eighth infantry; Lieutenant W. A. Mercer, Eighth infantry. The alternates are Private Charles H. Rierdon and Serteant Wm. Morgan, of the Eighth infantry. Captain Cyrus S. Roberts, of the Seven-

teenth, will command the team.

There were prizes to present, and General Morrow, of Sidney, made it the occasion for a happy address on the value of target prac-

happy address ice. He said: tice. He said:
The general said he appeared to congratu
late the team upon the creditable record in
marksmanship which they had made and to present the medals for such achievements in the whole range of soldierly duties in time of peace there is not one more importan than that of target practice. All training at such times is but preparation for war, and the wisdom of such preparation is an axion accepted by all nations. Discipline and dril are excellent, but a soldier may be perfect in them and yet lack the prime element in a time of need. The value of a soldier is his efficiency, his power of execution. Discipline and courage alone will not suffice. They must be supplemented with a knowledge of the capabilities of the weapon he carries and the skill to achieve its full capacity.

Whatever adds to the efficiency of the soldier in battle is of importance to the service. The object of target practice is to train men to the greatest skill and effi-ciency in the handling of their arms. Marksmanship in the American army is at the highest point in the history of the United States. It has reached a standing not surpassed by any other nation. sult is due to the encouragement of the government and the interest of the army, among both officers and men. In this work no officer has been more zealous or efficient than Col onel Henry, the inspector of rifle practice of he department.

This training should be encouraged by the

government to the most liberal extent. There should be rewards other than medals. Extra rewards are needed to stimulate men to thei fullest capacity in the development of the arts and the industries, and these are not more important than improved marksman-ship in the army. The teams should have the best of accommodations in traveling to the contests. They should have a per diem allowance and perhaps an increase of pay. This training also exerts a great moral in

fluence. It promotes temperance, patience, industry and skill. It should be honored with greater rewards than ordinary routine It has another value in that it promotes

conomy. It is well known that there is an snormous waste of amunition by raw troops. Skilled marksmen will save amunition n the event of war the present expenditure for practice will be repaid. The general concluded by congratulating team in the name of the department.

Colonel Henry then complimented the marksmen in terms of high praise. He said that during the competition he had seen no neglect of duty, no breach of discipline. That should be the highest feather in the cap of every man. They had set an example for the whole department, and he trusted they would be as true soldiers always.

Mrs. Major Brown then planed upon Sergeant Dietz the gold medal awarded him for the best record for the six-day shooting.

Mrs. Lieutenant Mallory similarly honored Colonel Henry then complimented

Mrs. Lieutenant Mallory similarly honored Musician Mayer with a silver medal for the best skirmish work. The first prize had a bar bearing the word "Department" and a thick circular pendant. The latter bore the words "Department Marksmanship," encircling two guns crossed over a shield. The bar of the second prize was inscribed "Skirmishing." and the needent "Department Skirmishing." and the needent "Department Skirmishing." ing," and the pendant "Department Skirmish Prize." The reverse of both medals bears a wreath encircling a space left for an in-scription. A gold watch was presented by Edholm & Aiken, of this city, to Corporal Mercier for the best four skirmish runs in six days. six days.
At the conclusion of the exercises the

marksmen gave the visitors an exhibition of skirmish firing on the range. The ubiquitous photographer shot off his camera several

mes, and General Brooke's party returned to ne city at 1 o'clock by special train. It is noticeable that all the prizes and six of the fourteen places in the team were won by members of the Seventeenth infantry from Fort Russell, Wyo. T. This is the work of Lieutenant Colonel Muir, who gave the men ten days practice before leaving their sta-

The team is a strong one, though the bad weather has kept down their score somewhat. They remain at the range till Thursday, when they leave for San Antonio.

The breaking of camp began yesterday undar the direction of Lieutenant Brooke of the Twenty-first infantry, Fort Bridger.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. Another Meeting Devoted to Heating

and Ventilation. Heating and ventilation was the great mooted point at the meeting of the board of education last evening. Some of the members were afraid that the heating and ventilating systems for the Park school would in terfere with each other, but all fears were aliayed by Mr. Barrett guaranteeing the per-fect working of his ventilating system with out interfering with the heating of the Owing to the limited capacity of the high

school building, Superintendent James sug gested that it would be best at some time in the near future to divide the children of he Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth grade unong the other schools.

The committee on heating and ventilation reported that H. T. Johnson, R. A. Cooper and Matt Gabion had passed examination in steam heating. Ida A Greeniu and Sadie Bunker, teachers of the summer schools, were each allowed \$29.33 for their services through August.

It was decided to notify Strang, Clark & Co, to place better support at the rear of boiler No. 2 at the high school at their own expense, the ones they have put in being insufficient. The committee to whom was referred the matter of heating and ventilating the Park street school recommended that the contract

for heating the building be awarded Welshans, Pratt & Co., and that of ventilating be awarded to the Exhaust Ventilating com pany of Chicago.

In the discussion that followed Dr. Saville ald that there were no well ventilated school buildings in the city.

Mr. McConnell said he wished a perfect

bond from some one that both the heatin and ventilating systems proposed would prove satisfactory.
Dr. Saville thought there was no use for any such joint bond; if the ventilating com

pany guaranteed their work and the heating company guaranteed theirs, that would be Wehrer wanted either Welshans Pratt & Co., or the Exhaust Ventilating com pany, to guarantee the work of both sys-tems, for the ventilators might fan all the

heated air out of the building. Mr. Rees thought it was unreasonable to ask one firm to guarantee the work of another. The ventilation would not interfere with the heating of the building, as the air

introduced was first warmed.

Mr. Barrett, of the Exhaust company, was allowed to take the floor, and he guaranteed the perfect working of his system without interference with the heating. He did not think it was businesslike to ask nim to guarantee the work of another firm. Mr. Welshans came forward and guaranteed the perfect working of his heating system, but not in connection with Mr. Barrett's

ventilating system. This raised still more of a hubbub, some of the members insisting that while both the heating and ventilating systems might be perfect of themselves, still in connec-tion with each other the heating might prove a failure through the interference of the ven tilator and vice versa.

It was then suggested that the committee split their report in two and otherwise modify it, and they then offered the following: The committee on heating and ventilation recommend the acceptance of the bid of the Exhaust Ventilating company for \$1,875 to furnish a ventilating apparatus for the Park school building and will guarantee the same to amply ventilate the building according to their bid, and that it will not depreciate the work of the steam heating apparatus in the good heating of the building, and that no payment be made till February

This awkwardly worded resolution was signed by Messrs, Spalding and Saville, and proving satisfactory to the board it was The same committee then presented an

other report favoring the granting of the shans, Pratt & Co., for the sum of \$3,583 This, too, was accepted. The superintendent of buildings was in-structed to build a smoke flue in the Park

street school of sufficient capacity for the use of the steam heating apparatus.

The superintendent of instruction and the committee on buildings and property were authorized to order such minor changes in the interior arrangements of the Lake school as in their judgment may be necessary for the better convenience of teachers and pupils of that school the cost of same not to exceed \$25.

Mr. Millard was granted a two month's eave of absence.

Bids for fuel were received from the var ious local dealers, and referred. The a slight increase over the bids of 1887. Charley Wehrer moved that the matter of employing an assistant German teacher in the high school be taken up. Carried.

Superintendent Sames was called on to tate whether such a teacher was needed in the school. He said it was possible that such a teacher would not be needed. He thought it rather premature to settle this matter at this time. After some debate it was decided to indefmitely postpone the matter.

ADDITIONAL COUNCIL BLUFFS

Lake View Park.

John W. Paul, who has heavy real estate interests near Lake View park, has signified his intention of meeting the mayor, aldermen and the park commissioners of this city at an early date, with a view of making extensive improve ments at the park. It is understood that Mr. Paul will give to the park commissioners a 100 feet wide strip along the east side of the lake from the picnic grounds south to W. S. Mayne's pos-sessions, who, it is said, will donate a similar strip around to Fifteenth street. The boulevard donated to the park is t be put in fine condition by the parl commissioners, and thus a fine drive be opened from the city to Lake View The body of water in the parl is about two miles in length, is wel shaded on its banks with a pretty grove of several acres, and with the turesque bluffs in the background the picture is a lovely one. Between the lake and the Missouri river is an Island containing several acres, which i owned by the city. The plans of im-provement are to make this a lakeside boulevard.

Still After the Park.

Papers were served on Mayor Rohre esterday, notifying him of a new suit in the United States court by which the parties who have been trying to wrest Fairmount park from the city not only claim the park but \$5,000 damages. The haven't got the park yet, and haven't shaken down any large crop of dollars

A Striking Demonstration. Colonel Whiting and Byron Brown held little political controversy last evening on Broadway. The argument was striking, es secially as Brown landed his right with crush ing force upon the colonel's nasal organ. A warrant was immediately issued for Brown's arrest and the charge of assault with intent to kill placed against bim.

Colored Oratory.

Last evening there was a large gathering on Pearl street to hear A. A. Whitman, who was announced as "The gifted orator, poet and preacher from Kansas."

Portland, Oregon, and all points in Alaska can be reached over the Oregon Short Line of the Union Pacific.

RIFLED THE MAIL SACKS.

A Through Registered Omaha Pouch Stolen at Valentine.

THE REUNION AT BROKEN BOW.

Extensive Preparations for the Event at Custer County's Capital-Safe Blowers at Neligh-Over the State.

Robbed the Mail.

VALENTINE, Neb., August 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The mail from the east for this place was robbed here last night after the departure of the west-bound train. The night was intensely dark, and the mail, consisting of three leather and five canvas sacks, was thrown from the train at the extreme end of the platform, where it remained for about ten minutes while Night Operator James Breen took in the express. When the mail was delivered at the postoffice this morning the letter sack was found cut open and the through register pouch from Or stolen. Postmaster Boulware and Sheriff Little made a careful examination and search and found the pouch and a number of torn registered envelopes, from which the con-tents had been taken, in the vault of the water-closet in the rear of the depot. The amount stolen is not ascertained, and there is no positive clue to the thief. It is thought the robbery was committed while the mai upon the platform, by a well in formed party.

The G. A. R.'s at Broken Bow. BROKEN Bow, Neb., August 13.- [Special to THE BEE. |-The proceedings of the Grand Army reunion for central and western Nebraska will commence to-morrow morning. The arrangements are complete and perfect in every detail. The fair ground is a veritable city of tents, and laid out in avenues of snow white canvass it presents a benutiful appearance. Over two hundred tents are already up. The Blue Springs battery of heavy artillery arrived on Saturday evening and at sunrise to-morrow will waken the echoes with their first salute. The address of welcome, by the mayor, will be responded to by Comrade L. W. F. Cole, after which Department Commander Henry will deliver an address. This will be followed by a camp fire in the evening. Wednesday is set apart as Governor's day, and will be devoted to a rand reception and an address by Governor Thayer, and a general parade by veterans ivic societies and citizens. At 4 o'clock Hon tharles F. Manderson will deliver an address. The evening will be devoted to a speech by General Higgins, of Grand Island, and a campfire. Thursday General Colby and Colonel Russell will deliver addresses. The encampment will continue three days and an immense crowd is expected, the largest in the history of Custer county. Broken Bow is doing herself proud in the claborate arrangements she is making to entertain her many thousands of visitors this week. The city is garly decorated with miles of bunting, streamers and flags. Three large finely decorated arches span the main iness streets, while all business houses, he buildings and many private residences

officer of the day. A Democratic Fabrication. O'NEILL, Neb., August 13 .- [Special Tele gram to The Bee. |- The special in Sunday's Herald from O'Neill, in regard to the repub lican convention here, was a gross misrepre sentation. The convention Saturday was the most harmonious held in Holt county for years and the different candidates will work hard for the success of the entire ticket They are men who will work and vote against the encroachment of monopolies and for the interests of the people. The candidates are: For county attorney, E. W. Adams representatives, J. M. Hunter and N. B. Bisbee; preference for state senator, L. S. Shan J. S. Bartley was given the selection ot his own delegation. A special car has been engaged to take the Holt county delega-tion. At least sixty are expected to go down. They will leave Tuesday the 21st. The car will be handsomely decorated inside and out. Every effort possible will be put forth to secure Mr. Bartley's nomination. He is

are finely decorated. The officers of Camp Manderson are: I. N. Atkisson, commander; J. M. Fodge, adjutant; Captain John Reese,

worthy man in all respects.

The Howe-Majors Combine. AUBURN, Neb., August 13 .- [Special to THE BEE. |- The Howe-Majors combination delegation was elected at the primaries here. The caucus ticket was beaten by a sma majority. One hundred and fifty republicans attended the caucus Friday night and made a good liberal ticket which did not suit the corporation boss, and he slyly had enough prohibitionists run in to defeat the caucu ticket. The old reliable republicans will no stand this. Many of them in favor of Van Wyck. If line of conduct is carried out the bos ticket will be beatch by an independent or democratic ticket, as it was six years ago. Howe and Majors have compromised. Howe goes to the senate and Majors to the house and a full anti-Van Wyck ticket will be nom-inated, and the people will have a chance to rise up and defeat it by the election of good men. Majors and Howe pretend not to be

candidates. The programme is to have the convention force them to run, but their game is too transparent, even at this time. A Church Dedicated.

O'NEILL, Neb., August 13.- Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |- A Presbyterian church at Lambert, in the eastern part of this county, was dedicated yesterday. Dr. Sexton, syn-odical missionary of the Presbyterian church of Nebraska, preached the dedication sermon. Rev. Harvey Wilson, of Oakdale, preached in the evening. Rev. Grac Atkinson, assisted in the exercises. N. S. Lowrie of this place preaches there every other Sunday and has been instrumen tal in erecting the church and building up a good congregation at that place. A number of O'Neill people went down.

Platte County Teachers. COLUMBUS, Neb., August 13 .- [Special t THE BEE.]-The Platte county teachers, institute convened at the high school building in this city to day with an enrollment of fifty teachers. The number will probably be doubled in a few days. The session will last two weeks. Prof. Knopper and Miss Parker, teachers. the latter of Lincoln, will be the instructors Prof. L. J. Cramer, county superintendent has put forth every effort to make the in stitute a success. He has been engaged in school work for twenty years, ten of which have been devoted to our own schools.

Custer County's Convention. BROKEN Bow, Neb., August 13 .- [Special o THE BEE.]-The county convention will

meet at the opera house in this city on Fri day, the 17th. There will be 106 delegates The contest for state senator has been a warm one between the two leading cand dates, both of whom are leading citizens of our city—L. H. Jewett and J. H. Inman. Both stand about conal in the contest, while G. H. Sneil, a third candidate, with a score of his own delegates, holds the key to the situation. How the battle will terminate i difficult to conjecture, but if either of the three are nominated Custer will be represented by a staunch republican of ability

Died of Her Wound.

DAROTA CITY, Neb., August 13 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Mrs. Kipper, referred to in Sunday morning's BEE as having cut her throat near Homer, in this county, died last night. There are numerous rumors regarding the cause of the act, but the most prob able reason is the one given by Mr. Fred Schriever, a druggist of this place, who is a cousin of the deceased. He says that for sev-eral months she has been iii, and that a few weeks ago a physician of Sloux City informed her that she could not recover, and that this intelligence so preyed upon her mind that she became temporarily insane. She was about thirty-six years of age, and leaves a husband and four children in good circumstances.

Richardson County Politics. Falls Cify, Neb., August 13 .- | Specia Telegram to Tus BEE.]-Politics are begin-

ning to bubble in this section of the country. CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS Isham Reavis is being talked of for congress

man. J. L. Linn, of Humboldt, J. R. Wil

hite and E. S. Towle, of this city, are prob

Will Attend the Wahoo Rally.

ASHLAND, Neb., August 13 .- [Special Tele

gram to THE BEE.]-The Ashland Republi

can league met to-night to make arrange-

ments to attend the republican rally at Wa-

hoo on the 17th inst. The meeting was well

attended and the usual amount of enthusiasm

was manifested. Arrangements were com-

pleted for the league to attend the rally 200 strong. The silver cornet band, the drum corps and the flambeau club will accompany

day. Arrangements were also made for an umbrella brigade of 100 members with red,

white and blue umbrellas. A resolution favoring the nomination of T. J. Pickett, jr. for the office of state senator was unani

mously adopted, after which the meeting ad-

journed to meet at the call of the president

A Father's Dreadful Mistake.

night Lettie Walker, the seven-year-old

daughter of H. N. Walker, residing just out

side the city, was shot by her father, who

mistook her for a burglar. The little girl had

gone out of the house while her parents were

asleep, and, on returning, the opening of the

door, which was swollen by rain, awoke her

father, who has recently been bothered by

the doorway, he asked who was there, and

receiving no reply, fired, the ball striking the girl in the left breast and lodging under the

shoulder blade. Recognizing the voice of he

daughter by her screams, the horrifled father gathered her in his arms, and placing

her on a bed, hastened to call Dr. McGee, who extracted the ball and gave it as his

opinion that the little sufferer will recover

The parents are almost crazed with grief over

Safe Blowers at Neligh.

NELIGH, Neb., August 13 .- | Special to

THE BEE.]-Saturday night J. J. Melick's

safe was blown open, but the burglary was

not discovered until late last night. The

thieves secured about \$5 in money and took

about \$2,300 worth of notes and other papers

of value only to the owner. Two suspicious looking characters, who have been hanging

around town for some time, have not been seen since Saturday evening and are sup-

A Forced Marriage.

FALLS CITY, Neb., Aug. 13 .- | Special Tele

gram to The Ber. |-An interesting case was

before Judge A. R. Scott this morning. Miss

Mamie Price arrested Charlie Bremer,

of Arago precinct, for betrayal, but the mat-

ter was compromised by Bremer marrying the girl. The child is eight months old.

Bremer positively refused to live with

Greeley County Teachers.

Scotia, Neb., Aug. 13 .- [Special Telegram

to THE BEE. |-The Greeley county teachers'

institute closed Saturday evening after a

two week's session. There were sixty-one teachers enrolled. It was the most success

teachers enrolled. It was the most success ful one ever held in the county. Under the management of Superintendent T. J. Stoet-

zel was very interesting and all teachers

seemed to be deeply interested in the work.

Sheridan Memorial Services.

SEWARD, Neb., August 13 .- [Special to

THE BEE. |-Memorial services on the death

of General Sheridan were held Saturday af-

ternoon in the opera house, which was filled

to overflowing. Interesting addresses were made by General J. M. True and Rev. Dob-son, the ministers of the city participating.

A Serious Runaway.

SEWARD, Neb., August 13 .- [Special to

age this afternoon by the running away of

their team, the vehicle turning completel

over, throwing all the occupants upon their

Reynolds is thought to be hurt internally.

All sustained severe bruises.

A Free Trade Speech.

Columnus, Neb., August 13.—[Special Tele

gram to THE BEE.]-Six hundred of our citi-

zens assembled in the public square this

evening to listen to a free trade speech de

livered by Mr. Bryan, of Lincoln. He is an cloquent and interesting speaker of more

Not Robinson, but Wilson.

GENEVA, Neb., August 13 .- (Special Tele

gram to THE BEE.]-William Robinson of

Exeter, an officer, was stated in THE BEE I

few days age to have been incarcerated for

many crimes. The report was not correct.

A man named Frank Wilson was the culprit.

In Payor of Submission.

Peru, Neb., August 13 .- | Special to The

Ber !- At the republican caucus to-day a vote

was polled on the question of submitting a

prohibitory amendment, which resulted in its

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., August 13 .- [Special

Telegram to THE BEE.] -Officers to-day over-

took the valuable team of horses stolen from

Levi's livery stable last Monday at Barnes,

Without health life has no sunshine

Who could be happy with dyspensia, piles, low spirits, headache, ague or dis-

eases of the stomach, liver or kidneys

Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic quickly

cures the above diseases. Price 50

THE PAPERS LOST.

A Chambers Session to Confirm a Sen-

tence.

day afternoon in chambers to confirm the

sentence of Randal C. Palmer to the reform

school. Young Palmer was arraigned in

Justice Wade's court last February on the

charge of larceny, and sent up to the dis-

trict court. He was arraigned there and re-

eased on his own recognizance or during good

It was found when they came to make out

the papers to take him to the reforma-tory that the case against him had never been docketed and

the files. County Attorney Simeral says the

clicrk lost the papers and the clerk says the county attorney lost them. The accident oc-casioned the holding of Saturday's session to confirm the action of last term, and young Palmer will be taken in a day or two to the

Schlank & Prince have sued J. W. John

son, R. A. Moore and J. E. Shipman to en-force the payment of a promissory note for \$450. The note was originally given by

D"The best on tearth"can truly be said of Griggs Glycerine Salve-a speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns,

ions. Try the wonder healer. 25 cents

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Raby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

Guaranteed. Goodman's drug store.

sores, piles, teter and all skin

Drink Malto it is pleasant.

there was no transcript to be found am

behavior. He was arraigned in court a fe weeks ago and sentenced to the reform scho

Judge Groff held a session of court Satur

cents. Goodman's drug store.

Drink Malto.

Johnson to Moore.

Kan., but the thief escaped.

than average ability.

favor.

posed to be the guilty parties.

ately for a divorce.

Seeing a figure in the darkness a

STERLING, Neb., August 13 .- Saturday

the league to assist in the exercises of

able candidates for state senators. W. C. McCool, of Salem, William Fenton, of Dawson and J. J. Turner, of this city, are talked Important Matters Discussed in the Senate and House.

of for representatives. The republican part is fully organized and consolidated for a ful DEBATE ON THE FISHERY TREATY. ticket this fall. Everything looks favorable for a republican victory and the democrats

A Motion to Postpone Consideration of the Matter Until Next December Advocated by Senator Gray.

Senate.

Washington, August 13 .- The resolution offered last week by Mr. Edmunds, calling on the attorney general for copies of the correspondence between the department of justice and the supervisor of elections in the city of New York on the subject of registration and election, was taken up in the senate to-day and its purpose was explained by him. After a brief discussion the resolution was

The senate then resumed consideration of the fisheries treaty in open executive session and was addressed by Mr. Call in support of its ratification.

At the close of Mr. Call's speech the proat the close of Mr. Can's speech the pro-siding officer announced the question to be on Mr. Morgan's motion to postpone consid-eration of the treaty until December next, and asked whether the senate was ready for

Mr. Hoar called for the yeas and nays or Mr. Gray said that before a vote was taken Mr. Gray said that before a vote was taken the desired to say something on the motion. He then began a speech in favor of post-poning consideration until December next. Mr. Gray said that it had become evident from the outgivings on the republican side of the chamber that the treaty was not to be ratified at this session. The treaty was being discussed in the midst of an excited political campaign, and the democratic sens tors had been told that they were arguing the British side of the case. Why should not the consideration of the treaty be post poned to a more quiet season! No interest involved could possibly be affected injuri ously by the proposed postponement. The fishermen whose rights were the subjection matter of the treaty were pursuing the avocations now unmolested and undisturbed under the protocol attached to the treaty As to the taunt that the democratic senator were arguing the case of Great Britain, Mr. Gray said that no taunt was so icritating as that to a democrat. The democratic party had no hostility and no policy in relation to foreign matters that it was ashamed of. It had always been ready to press to the ex-treme everything that concerned the coun-

try's right and honor.

Mr. Beek, by consent of Mr. Gray, criticised some recent remarks of Mr. Frye as to the practice of Canadian fishermen senaing frozen fish to the American market free of duty under the tariff clause of "Fish free for immediate consumption," and said that as long as fresh fish could only reach Boston as long as fresh as a count only reach Boston and Portland, and the people there get them cheaper, it was eminently satisfactory to the New England senators, but that as seen as fresh fish could be sent to Ohio and Kentucky it then became an offence in their eyes. The whole thing was in the interest of a Chancester syndicate, which even the Gloucester syndicate, which even the laboring men of the country were protosting against as a set of frauds. He referred in that connection to the duty on Bessemer steel by which Carnegie had been given a sum of \$1,500,000 so that he could build churches and schools and could carry in his carriage throughout Scotland the Warwick of the republican party, the power behind the throne, who had now come back to this country to be the Little All Right of the repub-

Mr. George obtained the floor and read Mr. George obtained the floor and read from the Boston Herald a report of the meeting of the "Deep Sca Assembly of Knights of Labor," held at Gloucester, and of the resolutions adopted protesting against

the "fish trust" and favoring competition as the remedy against such trusts.

Mr. Hoar said that neither he nor the senator from Mississippi knew anything of the character of the persons who compose assembly of Gloucester Knights of Labor, but that the pictures which they had drawn THE BEE.]-Dr. O. C. Reynolds, wife and of the fisheries and fishing interests and o the laboringmen and capitalists of Massa-chusetts was a slander in general and a two children, were thrown from their cardetail. There was not basis of truth in it. He spoke of the prosper ity of the workingmen and women of Mass ichusetts, and described their homes as the homes of comfort and love and blessing and patriotism and intelligence.

Mr. George rose to reply, but Mr. Beck thought that the discussion might as well g over till to-morrow, and on his motion the senate adjourned.

House. WASHINGTON, August 13 .- After the introduction of a few unimportant resolutions the house began consideration of bills reported from the committee on the District of

Columbia. The first bill called up, authorizing the the first bill called up, authorizing the commissioners of the District of Columbia to condemn property on Rock creek for park purposes, gave rise to a protracted discussion. The bill was finally recommitted. On motion of Mr. Matson the senate bil was passed increasing to \$30 the monthly rate of pension for total deafness.

Mr. Warner, of Missouri, asked unanimous consent for consideration of the dependent pension bill, but Mr. Walker, of Missouri, objected.

The house then went into committee of the whole on the fortification appropriation bill and proceeded to the consideration of the bil

ov sections. Mr. Townshend raised a point of order against the section providing for a gun factory at Watervilet arsenal contending tha the committee on appropriations had no juris diction over this subject, but that it belonges to the committee on military affairs.

Mr. Sayers antagonized the po-Mr. Sayers antagonized the point and quoted from the report of the committee on rules, at the time the present code of rules was framed, in support of his argument.

the house adjourned. In another column of this issue will be found an entirely new and novel specimen of attractive advertising. It is one of the neatest ever placed in our paper and we think our readers will be well repaid for examining the supposed display letters in the advertisement of

Prickly Ash Bitters. MR. EDWARDS IS WARM. The Authorities Tear Down His Con-

demned Buildings. J. E. Edwards was the owner of fou dilapidated, ramshackle dwellings which stood on the corner of Eleventh street and Capitol avenue. He does not own them any longer, for they were leveled with the earth by the order of the city building inspector yesterday. A large force of workmen repaired thither at an early hour, and within a short time all that remained of the unsightly structures was a conglomerate pile of plas tering, lath, broken rafters and shattered weather-boarding. These buildings were condemned, as they were old and almost tenantless, and extended too far upon the street. Morcover, the fire limit on the same had expired. Edwards had been granted abundant time to move his buildings back in order that they might con-form with the survey of the streets, but he not only neglected to profit by this, but otherwise ignored the requirements of the law. Latterly he applied for a permit to move the houses to another part of the city, outside the fire imits, but he was refused, on the grounds that the buildings were in an unsafe condition. On Friday last the case was tried before a jury in the police court and Edwards found guilty. He was charged with obstructing the streets. He was ordered to tear them down, but he failed to do so. was ordered to tear them down, but he failed to do so. Consequently the building inspector has had it done for him. Edwards claims that great loss has been entailed upon him, that they were worth \$1,500, and that he received \$125 rental per month therefrom. Edwards was fined \$3 and costs in the police court, which he paid. He then informed Inspector Whitlock he would not demolish his buildings if he was agrested and fined every day. Mr. he was arrested and fined every day. Mr. Edwards was very warm yesterday, when he discovered the work of the authorities. He will seek redress through the courts.

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Farnam st., diamond ring. Cora Ellis, North 14th st., cake basket;

Mrs. Bworkman, Davenport st., pickle

stand: Mrs. Mary Freyzer, silver sugar bowl: Miss Grace E. White, N. 14th st., silver castor; Harry Andrews, Capitol ave., \$50 in gold coin; Mrs. Humphreys, Caldwell, silver castor; Mrs. E. F. Griffith, 25th st., silver cake basket; Mr. J. C. Russell, 34th st., can money in tea; J. T. Ochiltree, Seward st., silver butter dish; Miss Ella Ousley, 21st and Barnes, silver butter dish; Mr. W. V. Cochran, Jones, silver cake basket; Henry Jones, N. 19th st., silver butter dish; L. W. Whitman, N. 14th st., cluster diamond ring; Mrs. Charles Mikesell, 1208 Dodge st., silver butter dish; Mrs. A. E. Dewey, Douglas st., silver pickle stand; Mrs. J. Stanfield, S. 16th st., silver pickle stand; Mrs. J. H. Lecke, Hickory, St., silver castor; Mr. Thos. Tleage, v. 22nd St., diamond ring; Mr. Frank pora, Irene and Blondo, gent's gold hunting case watch; Clara Gardner, mail order, Lincoln, Neb., bought 27 cans for \$20, found \$10 in gold and elegant gold lace pin, diamond ruby and rapphire setting and gent's soltire diamond shirt stud; G. L. Cath, Mason St., diamond ring; John O. O'Roark, Waldiamond ring; John O. O'Roark, nut Ivy, Neb., silver pickle stand; Mrs. Cusick, Fort Omaha, silver butter dish; Mr. W. S. Reddield, Fire Dept., No. 1 en-gine house, silver cake basket; Mrs. J. A. Pending a decision the committee rose and Norton, Sixteenth and Vinton, diamond ring; Mrs. J. R. Miller, Izard street. silver pickle stand; C. H. Jones, Walnut Hill, diamond ring; Mr. J. T. Hahn, North Twenty-fifth, silver cake stand; Mrs. J. F. Fox, South Tenth, silver sugar bowl; Dora England, North Ningteenth, silver cake basket; Mrs. L. J. Firm, Harney street, silver sugar bowl; W. S. Robert, Tekemah, Neb., silver castor; William Cullen, Maple street, silver cake basket; Mrs. H. L. Fort, mail order, Red Cloud, Neb., silver pickle stand; C. W. Mayne, South Nineteenth street, silver butter dish Miss Gertie Hannan, Twenty-eighth and Farnam, silver castor, Charles Hill, Grant street, diamond ring; Daniel Daughey, N. 17th silver butter dish; John Kelly, silver pickle stand; A. A. McKechnie, S. 16th, diamond ring; George Powers, S. 22d, silver butter dish; Mrs. N. W. Hayes, Saunders st., cake basket; Mrs. Bennett, 815 S. 25th st., silver pickle stand; Fannie Brown, 25th and Douglas st., silver

cup; Miss Mary Russell, ladies gold hunting case watch; Otto Nobling, Omaha View and Corbyst., silver butter dish; Mrs. C. L. Smith, N. 18th and Colfax, silver butter dish; Mrs. Emerson, diamond cluster ring; George Piche Howard, diamond ring can money; Mrs. Waverin, and 14th and Pacific, silver pickle [stand; M. M. Runniel, N. 16th, silver pickle stand; Mrs. Heafey, S. 14th, diamond ring; Mrs. Hayes, Mason st., silver cake basket; J. H. Ryan, S. 30th, diamond Miss Lulu Wittig, 21st, silver cake

basket; Miss Wharton, Nebraska City, mail order, ladies' Hunting case gold watch in tea; Mrs. Hanafin, 8th st. and Capitol ave., silver castor; Mrs. Geo. Gellingbeck, Harney st., silver cake basket; Mr. Thos. Russell, 24th st., \$20 in gold coin; Jennie Newcomb, Howard cluster diamond ring; Annie Prebel, Davenport st., silver cake bas-ket; Ada Williams, California st., can money; Mrs. Buett, Seward st., silver sugar bowl; Mrs. T. Savage, Council Bluffs, silver cup; Burton Howard, Douglas st., ladies chatelaine watch.